

# COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Large Entry)

Docket No.  
13387

In Re Application Of: GRAVES, Alan F. et al.

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Application No. 09/580,495	Filing Date May 30, 2000	Examiner Tran, Dzung D.	Customer No. 000293	Group Art Unit 2633	Confirmation No. 8315
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Invention:

**OPTICAL SWITCH WITH POWER EQUALIZATION**

## COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of August 4, 2004 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: November 4, 2004 until: December 4, 2004  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	12 -	59 =	0	x \$18.00	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	5 -	6 =	0	x \$88.00	\$0.00
FEE FOR AMENDMENT					\$0.00
FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME					\$110.00
<b>TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME</b>					<b>\$110.00</b>

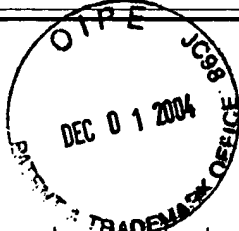
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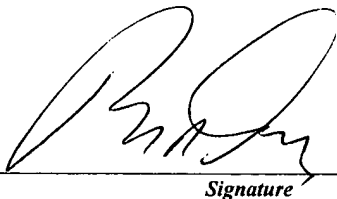
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.
- ☐ Please charge Deposit Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1577
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 04-1577
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

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